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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PAYMENT OF DEFICIENT FEE AND
LOSS OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c)

Dear Sir:

In a communication filed on August 1, 2005 Applicant/Owner notified the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, in accordance with the requirements under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), that it was no longer entitled to small entity status as of July 1, 2005 and all fees that were paid subsequent thereto were based on large business entity status.

Applicant/Owner recently discovered that the change from small business entity status to large business entity status had in fact taken effect earlier on January 1, 2004 and that fees that were paid between January 1, 2004 and July 1, 2005 were erroneously paid as a small business entity. Consequently, payment of deficiency is owed under 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c) for the subject patent. The deficiency owed, resulting from the previous erroneous payment of small entity fees, is being submitted electronically by credit card payment with this communication.

The calculation of the itemized deficiency and deficiency total is follows:

	Filing Date of Original Paper/Fee	Type of Fee Paid	Column A Current fee amount as a large entity	Column B Amount originally paid	Deficiency (based on current fee amount) (Col. A minus Col. B
1.	04 13 04	App filing fee	850.00	385.00	\$465.00
2.	08 09 04	missing parts rsp	130.00	65.00	\$ 65.00
				TOTAL	\$530.00

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the amount of **\$530.00** as well as credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees in this matter to our Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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